

# PECI-PMI lists in the light of the new EU TEN-E Regulation

1. The new TEN-E Regulation is in legislative procedure in the EU right now – Parliament and Council
2. The legislative proposal of DG ENER (Dec 2020) foresees a fundamental shift in the eligible project categories, particularly the removal of oil and most natural gas infra projects and the intro of H2 and gas smart grids
3. The new TEN-E Regulation is foreseen to be adopted in the EU by Q4 2021 - Q1 2022
4. After adoption in the EU, the adaptation and adoption in the EnC will start
5. Based on the adopted Reg.347/2013, EnC should adopt a new PEGI/PMI list by Q4 2022, meaning that the selection process should start Q4 2021 or Q1 2022.
6. Consequently, the new EnC PEGI/PMI list of 2022 would stay in force until Q4 2024, and contradict the new TEN-E Regulation which is to be adopted in the EnC by Q4 2022.

Due to the above, the Secretariat, proposed to DG ENER to analyze the options to postpone the adoption of a new PEGI/PMI list, until the updated Regulation is adopted in the EnC

As a result, DG ENER, in consultation with ECS, proposes the amendment to MC Decision 2015/09MC-EnC as presented:

- Until then, the current list would stay en-force
- The current list will be implemented in a way to properly reflect the developments at EU and Energy Community level, in particular in respect of 2030 climate and energy targets and the reduction of greenhouse gas emissions as well as the ongoing revision of Regulation (EU) No 347/2013